

# Cal OES Daily Situation Report

## July 4, 2018



Signage in Woodland thanking the firefighters battling the County Fire, Yolo County

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# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

### Cal OES INLAND REGION

- See Fire Activity Slides.

### Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- See Fire Activity Slides.

### Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

#### Virulent Newcastle Disease (VND) in backyard poultry and avian in Los Angeles and San Bernardino Counties

The California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) has detected virulent Newcastle Disease (VND) in chickens in Los Angeles and San Bernardino Counties.

- On 05/18/18, CDFA detected VND in a small flock of backyard exhibition chickens in Los Angeles County, and confirmed by the United States Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS).
- CDFA is the state lead on the incident, with support from Cal OES and in collaboration with USDA.
- USDA Incident Management Teams (IMTs) continue to rotate every two weeks to facilitate the management and support the response to the incident. [The Gold IMT transition into a two week rotation beginning 07/01/18.](#)
- CDFA confirmed there are no commercial premises currently involved and there is no public health risk due to this virus. Commercial surveillance actively continue to work with commercial premises in the surveillance zones on biosecurity to help protect their poultry from VND.
- USDA IMT is working with commercial poultry premises to encourage submission of samples for VND surveillance testing, facilitate the development of Secure Food Supply Plans, and assist with the issuance of permits to move materials on and off commercial premises within established control areas.
- Backyard Surveillance (education and outreach) continues in the surveillance zones.
- [CDFA and USDA have scheduled a meeting on 07/10/18 with representatives from Animal Care and Control Agencies in San Bernardino, Los Angeles, Ventura, Riverside and Orange counties to provide information on the current efforts CDFA and USDA are implementing to control and eradicate VND in San Bernardino County and surrounding areas. The goal is to strengthen partnerships with as many agencies as possible to carry out the mission of stopping the spread of VND and eradicating this devastating disease.](#)



# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION (Continued)**

### **Virulent Newcastle Disease (VND) in backyard poultry and avian in Los Angeles and San Bernardino Counties (Continued)**

#### **Declaration**

- On 06/26/18 at 1840 hours, the California State Warning Center (CSWC) received a report regarding Virulent Newcastle Disease (VND) from the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA). CDFA has declared an Agricultural Emergency to provide the department the authority to activate internal emergency provisions and to expedite the request for permits and waivers required to perform designated activities under an emergency basis.

#### **Activations**

- San Bernardino Operational Area (OA) EOC is activated to Level 3 (lowest level) and will continue to monitor the incident.

#### **Deployments**

- One (1) Cal OES Southern Region Senior Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC) is deployed to the ICP as an AREP (Agency Representative). Operational Period of 0700-1900 hours.
- See Weather of Concern Slide.

# FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels		
National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 2	Preparedness Level 3	Preparedness Level 2
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 1

Please note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

## INLAND REGION

### Flat, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County

Location: Reading Creek Rd., 5 miles SE of Douglas City

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA, FRA

Start Date/Time: 06/28/18 at 1801 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/04/18 at 0837 hours:

- 300 acres, 80% contained
- Expected containment: 07/06/18
- Crews continue to strengthen and improve containment lines

### Lions, Vegetation Fire, Madera County

Location: Lion Point, in the Ansel Adams Wilderness Area

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Sierra NF/Inyo NF

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/04/18 at 0837 hours:

- 4,000 acres, 60% contained
- Expected containment: 07/14/18
- Moderate fire behavior, flanking and isolated torching
- Managed fire for multiple resource benefit

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **County, Vegetation Fire, Yolo and Napa Counties**

Location: County Road 63 x Highway 16, Rumsey Canyon

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA

Type-3 IMT

Start Date/Time: 06/30/18 at 1412 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/04/18 at 0918 hours:

- 82,700 acres, 25% contained
- Expected containment: 07/10/18
- Continued threat to Snow Mountain National Monument

### **Activations**

- Yolo County Emergency Operations Center (EOC) is activated at Level 1 on 07/04/18 at 0600 hours
- Napa County EOC is at Duty Officer Status at this time

### **Deployments**

- 2 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief assigned
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC) (Demobilized)
- 4 Public Safety Communications Technicians (PSCTs) and 1 trainee

### **Cal OES Assistance**

- On 07/02/18 at 2054 hours, the Incident requested 10 satellite phones from Cal OES to support firing operations.
  - Per the Cal OES TACCOM Duty Officer (TDO) the equipment was delivered on 07/03/18.
- As of 07/02/18, the Cal OES TDO is working with CUEA to provide additional cell phone capacity to the Incident Command Post (ICP), located at the Yolo County Fairgrounds.

### **FMAG**

- On 07/01/18 at 1322 hours, a Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) was received. The request has been placed on hold.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **County, Vegetation Fire, Yolo and Napa Counties (Continued)**

#### **Evacuations**

- [Mandatory evacuations \(Less than 700 persons\)](#)
- Mandatory: North of Hwy 128 in Yolo County, not including the City of Winters, South of County Rd. (CR) 23, east of Berryessa Knoxville Rd.
- Mandatory: West of CR 89, south of the community of Esparto
- Mandatory: Residences served by Hwy 128, between Monticello Dam and Pleasant Valley Rd. ([Golden bear Estates](#))
- [Mandatory: West of Hwy 16, to Berryessa Knoxville Rd., South of Old CR 40, and North of CR. There are no permanent residents in this area, only the potential for visitors/campers.](#)
- Yolo County:
  - Advisory: North of Quail Canyon Rd., south of Hwy 128, east of the Blue Ridge mountains, west of Pleasant Valley Rd.
- Napa County:
  - Advisory: Communities of Berryessa Highlands, Markley Cove and Pleasure Cove Resorts, defined as east of Capell Valley Rd., north of Hwy 128 from Capell Valley Rd., east to the Napa County line and all of Steele Canyon Rd.

#### **Evacuation Centers/Shelters**

- Evacuation Center: Boy Scout Cabin, 16960 Yolo Ave., Esparto, Yolo County
  - Hours of operation: 0700-0000 hours beginning on 07/02/18, 0000-0700 hours (standby)
  - Population, as of [07/04/18, 0751 hours](#): 0
- 400 person shelter supplies on standby
- There are currently no shelter needs for Napa County

#### **Road Closures**

- [SR 128 between Markley Resort and Pleasants Valley Rd.](#)

#### **Animal Shelter**

- Large Animal: Yolo County Fairgrounds, 1250 Gum Ave., Woodland
- Large Animal evacuation centers are being coordinated through the Yolo County Sheriff's Office
- A veterinary emergency response team is on standby.

#### **Critical Infrastructure**

Per California Utilities Emergency Association (CUEA) as of 07/02/18 at 1341 hours:

- The threat to the AT&T mobility tower (Berryessa Peak) has been mitigated.
- There are no outages due to the fire and the grid is stable.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **County, Vegetation Fire, Yolo and Napa Counties (Continued)**

#### **Missions**

- 2018-IREOC-47791: 2018 June Inland Fires - Two portable air quality monitors were requested.
  - One to be located at 26490 Woodland Ave., Esparto, at the Esparto Community Services District facility
  - One to be located at 501 E. Main St., Winters, at the fenced well site

### **Petersburg, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County**

Location: Petersburg x Caribou Creek Rd., 3 miles southwest of Cecilville

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Klamath National Forest

Start Date/Time: 07/01/18 at 1440 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209, as of [07/04/18 at 0837 hours](#):

215 acres timber, brush, [30% contained](#)

- [All evacuation warnings lifted](#)
- [Structure threat mitigated](#)
- Other minor structures: Damaged 0, Destroyed 2

## **COASTAL REGION**

### **Pawnee, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Colusa Counties**

Location: Pawnee Rd. x New Long Valley Rd., 4 miles NE of Clear Lake Oaks

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA

Type-3 IMT assigned

Start Date/Time: 06/23/18 at 1726 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [07/04/18 at 0837 hours](#):

- 15,000 acres, [90% contained](#)
- Expected containment: 07/05/18
- Single Residences Damaged 3 Destroyed 12
- Other minor structures Damaged 3 Destroyed 10

#### **Deployments**

- 2 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chiefs
- [2 Public Safety Communications Technicians \(PSCTs\) and 1 trainee assigned](#)



# FIRE ACTIVITY

## COASTAL REGION (CONTINUED)

### Pawnee, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Colusa Counties (Continued)

#### **FMAG**

- On 06/23/18, an FMAG request was received by Cal OES. On 06/24/18, the FMAG was approved by FEMA; FEMA-5244-FM-CA.

#### **Proclamations**

- On 07/03/18, a Proclamation was received from the Lake County Health Officer, proclaiming a Local Health Emergency due to the effects of the Pawnee Fire. They are not requesting assistance at this time.
- On 07/02/18, a Proclamation from Yolo County Flood Control and Water Conservation District was received due to the Pawnee Fire. They are not requesting any assistance at this time; however, CDAA is anticipated to be requested on 07/03/18, when the board ratifies the Proclamation.
- On 06/24/18, a Proclamation of Local Emergency was received from Lake County as a result of the incident. On 06/27/18, a letter was received from Lake County requesting disaster assistance under CDAA. On 07/03/18, a Resolution confirming the existence of a Local Emergency was received from Lake County, officially requesting CDAA and that the emergency proclamation be forwarded to FEMA for consideration under the Stafford Act.
- On 06/25/18, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an emergency proclamation for Lake County due to the effects of the Pawnee Fire, which has destroyed homes, threatened critical infrastructure, and caused power outages and the evacuation of residents.  
[Click here for full proclamation](#)

#### **Critical Infrastructure**

- Indian Valley Dam at Indian Valley Reservoir – Owned by Yolo County Flood Control District
  - As of 07/02/18 at 1058 hours, Cal OES Dam Emergency Action Planning Division advised 30-40 power poles and 3 miles of wiring have been damaged. Repairs are pending due to limited access. No retail customers. Power production and sales to Valley Clean Energy Alliance have been stopped indefinitely.
  - There is no service impact to the public.
  - Dam operations are not affected – As of 07/02/18, they are still running on generator power and their ability to produce hydro power is down.
  - There is no threat to the dam.

#### **Health/Medical**

- 1 Air Monitor is currently placed in Middletown and available to move to other locations as needed.
- 1 Air Monitor is in Clear Lake.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **COASTAL REGION (Continued)**

### **Pawnee, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Colusa Counties (Continued)**

#### **Recovery**

- CAL FIRE damage inspectors, along with Lake County building inspectors, assessed areas on 06/26/18 for initial damage estimates.
- Public works is removing hazardous trees in fire affected areas in anticipation of re-entry.

# MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
Lifeline Route Closure	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

## Lifeline Routes

San Bernardino County:

- I-15 was closed to southbound traffic 12.6 miles south of Halloran Springs in San Bernardino County, due to a non-fatal solo big-rig collision. There was a detour in effect for motorists. As of 07/04/18 at 0542 hours, Caltrans confirmed the route is open.

Nevada County:

- The I-80 eastbound connector to eastbound SR 20 is closed, due to an overturned big rig. There is no detour in effect for motorists. Estimated time of reopening is unknown.

## Non-Lifeline Routes:

Mendocino County:

- US 101 was closed in Mendocino County, 3.6 miles south of the north junction of SR 20 to 2.5 miles north of the south junction of SR 20. As of 07/04/18 at 0458 hours, Caltrans confirmed the route is open.

## Wildfire Closures:

- See Fire Activity Slides.

## Emergency Center Activations:

- There are no Emergency Center Activations.

## Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check  
current highway conditions.  
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for  
current highway conditions.



## California 911 System

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

### 911 Outages/Remote/Community Isolations:

- None reported.

### Service Interruptions:

- None reported.

# WEATHER OF CONCERN

## Weather of Concern

### **Northern California:**

- A Red Flag Warning is in effect this afternoon into evening for portions of Siskiyou and Tulare counties. A combination of strong winds and low humidity will create extreme fire growth potential.
- High Risk for gusty S afternoon winds/low relative humidity (RH) for the Far Eastside and NE today through Friday and for the Sacramento Valley today only.

### **Southern California:**

- A Red Flag Warning is in effect this afternoon into evening for portions of Inyo County. Gusty winds and low humidity will create critical fire weather conditions.

### **Southwest California:**

- A significant heat wave is expected to affect Southwest California Thursday, 07/05/18 through Sunday, 07/08/18, with the most dangerous heat expected on Friday and Saturday when record triple digit heat will be likely across many inland area.
  - During this time, valley, lower mountain, and desert locations are expected to range between 102 and 112 degrees.
  - Many portions of the coastal plain are expected to soar into the 90s to around 100 degrees, with heat impacts magnified due to lack of air conditioning for many coastal residents.
  - This heat will be accompanied by very dry conditions, with the potential for widespread single digit humidities on Friday and possibly Saturday.
  - Gusty northerly winds will affect portions of Southwest California, strongest across the mountains, Santa Barbara south coast, and Santa Clarita Valley where gusts will likely range between 35 and 45 mph.
  - These areas will have the potential for critical fire weather conditions, resulting in the issuance of a Fire Weather Watch.
  - This is a significant heat and fire weather threat, urging everyone to take necessary heat safety precautions and use extreme caution with any potential ignition sources.

### **Southeast California:**

- Excessive heat is forecast for much of the region on Thursday and Friday; as Thursday, temperatures are expected to become brutal and extremely hazardous for southeastern California Thursday through Friday.
  - High temperatures are forecast to top out above 115 degrees for most urban areas.
  - Excessive Heat Warnings are in effect Friday morning through Sunday evening for portions of the forecast area.

### **Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:**

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

### **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>



# WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION

## **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

The main focus near term will be increasing southerly winds ahead of a vigorous offshore trough. The trough should relax its grip on the area during the weekend and allow a Four Corners High to strengthen and build northward into next week. This means developing hot conditions. Monsoonal thunderstorms could be in play late next week favoring the eastside. Gusty southerly winds will develop this afternoon across NE CA and Far Eastside as well as the middle and upper portions of the Sacramento Valley. General gusts should range between 25-30 mph although some locations within the Shasta Valley should experience gusts up to 35 mph. RH values will range between 15-25% within the windier areas although much higher near the coast and within the Delta Region. Similar southerly wind speeds are expected Thursday and Friday across NE CA and Far Eastside while speeds within the Sacramento Valley should lower slightly. Humidity values should trend slightly lower Thursday/Friday although remain high along the coast/inland coastal areas. There is a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms over the Modoc Plateau and Lassen area late Friday as a result of some movement of the offshore trough. As mentioned above, a Four Corners High should become well asserted during the weekend and provide a warming and ultimately drying trend. One out of three extended ensemble models is showing a secondary trough passage early next week but confidence is low.

## **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

**Very hot and dry Friday and Saturday over Southern California.**

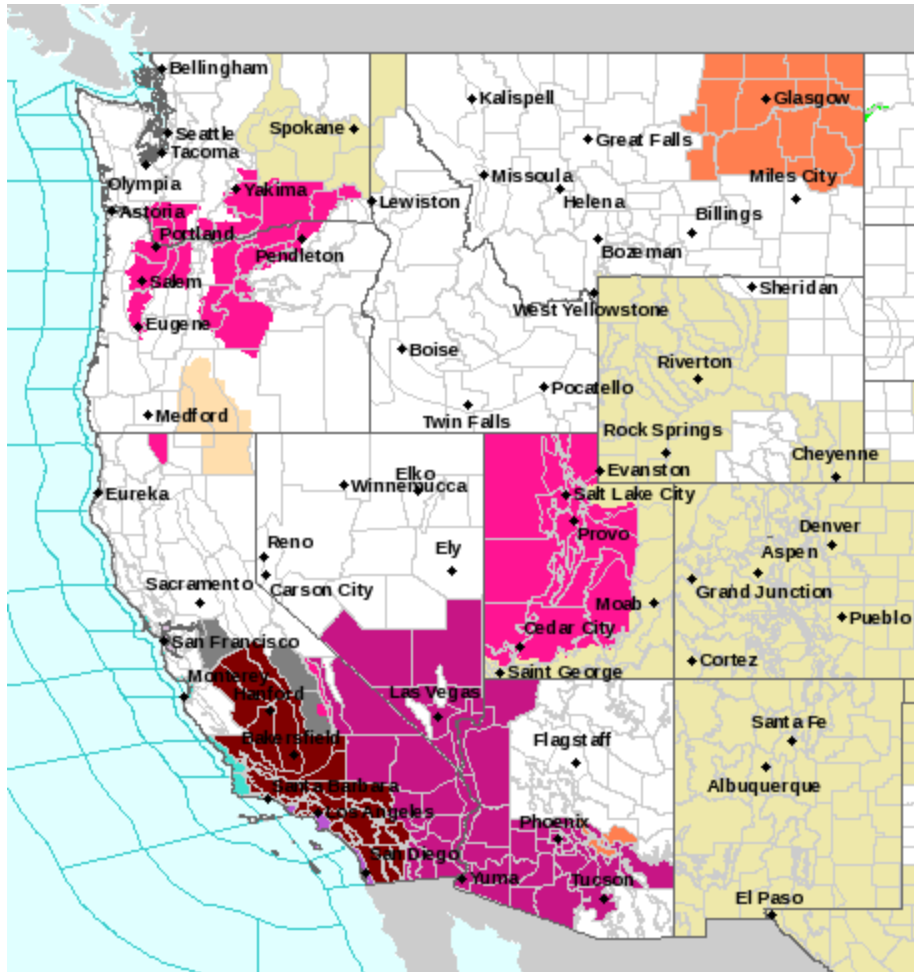
**Sundowner winds expected across Santa Barbara County Friday into Saturday.**

**Isolated thunderstorms starting Friday and continuing into much of next week.**

Strong high pressure over the Central and Eastern United States will build westward towards California in the coming days resulting in a significant heat wave across the southern portions of the state. **The hottest weather will be Friday when the inland valleys south of Point Conception will be in the 106 to 112 range.** To complicate matters, gusty sundowner winds will occur across Santa Barbara County Friday into Saturday morning, and isolated thunderstorms (some dry) will be possible over the southern mountains and deserts starting Friday. Increasing subtropical moisture will help to expand the threat of thunderstorm activity to include the Sierra this weekend with storms becoming wetter by Sunday. Temperatures will lower a little over the district and humidity values will increase from the expected minimums in the single digits and teens on Friday. However, it will continue to be hot with daytime highs above normal for early July. Daytime highs will continue to be above normal through at least the middle part of next week with a continued threat of thunderstorms (mainly wet) across the mountains and deserts, including the Sierra.



# WEATHER MAP



- [Flood Warning](#)
- [Excessive Heat Warning](#)
- [Red Flag Warning](#)
- [Heat Advisory](#)
- [High Surf Advisory](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Lake Wind Advisory](#)
- [Wind Advisory](#)
- [Beach Hazards Statement](#)
- [Excessive Heat Watch](#)
- [Fire Weather Watch](#)
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# Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

## Cal OES Law Missions

- **2018-LAW-47837, 07/03/18, 2006 hours:** The International Emergency Response Coordination Center (IERCC) advised of a Personal Locator Beacon (PLB) (InReach) device activation, plotting to the area of the Pacific Crest Trail in Fresno County (37.5000N, -118.9264W). No additional information was available. Fresno County Sheriff's Office (FCSO) accepted the mission. **Update: 2056 hours:** FCSO and IERCC advised the registered owner (R/O) canceled the activation. **Mission Closed.**
- **2018-LAW-47815, 07/03/18, 1443 hours:** Mono County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) requested a California National Guard helicopter capable of transporting a 10 person Technical Rescue team and about 600 pounds of their equipment to a landing area at 37.92151, -119.21436, which plots to the 11,500' level of the mountains near Tioga Pass. MCSO was working on the rescue of a mountain climber that had suffered a fall and was injured. MCSO had also requested helicopter assistance from both the California Highway Patrol (CHP) and Yosemite National Park (NP). Neither CHP or Yosemite NP was confident that they could accomplish the mission with their smaller helicopters. **Update:** The smaller helicopters from CHP and Yosemite NP were able to complete the mission. **Mission Closed.**
- **2018-LAW-47811, 07/03/18, 0430 hours:** IERCC advised of a PLB (InReach) device activation plotting to the area of Kings Canyon NP, Tulare County (36.698252, 118.371656). The user of the device reported that she was lost and needed directions to return to her campsite. National Park Service (NPS) Rangers were notified and accepted the mission. Before the Rangers deployed, the user of the device reported that she had located other hikers who were able to direct her to an area she was familiar with. She did not request further assistance. **Mission Closed.**



# Cal OES MISSION TASKING

## Cal OES Missions

- **2018-FIRE-47799:** California National Guard personnel will [establish and maintain a temporary bridge in Yolo County \(Hwy 16 near CR40\) to accommodate fire traffic. \(On Scene\)](#)
- **2018-IREOC-47791:** 2018 June Inland Fires - Two portable air quality monitors were requested. One to be located at 26490 Woodland Ave., Esparto, at the Esparto Community Services District facility and one to be located at 501 E. Main St., Winters, at the fenced well site.
- **2018-FIRE-47755:** California National Guard Fixed Wing (1) MQ-9 and (1) RC-26 Aircraft with 24 hour infrared imagery and perimeter mapping capabilities to support aerial firefighting operations in the State of California.
- **2018-FIRE-47611:** California National Guard medevac helicopter with night vision to be positioned at Mather (On Scene)
- **2018-IREOC-45244:** Caltrans to remove dead and dying trees along highways in Kern, Tulare, Fresno, Madera, Mariposa, Tuolumne, Calaveras, Butte, Plumas, Sierra, Shasta, and Lassen counties (On Scene – Long-term assignment)
- **2017-SOC-44098:** CalRecycle Debris Management Team in Ventura County (Coordinating)
- **2017-Inland-42559:** Weather station installed to gather real time rainfall data by Air Resources Control Board (On Scene)



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